

**BILL NO. 27-2007  
AN ORDINANCE**

**AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO EXECUTE A CERTAIN "CONSENT AND JOINDER" TO JOIN IN AN AMENDED PETITION TO TERMINATE THE CLINTON F. EARL TRUST AND CONSENT TO THE RELIEF REQUESTED THEREIN.**

**WHEREAS**, on March 4, 1946, Clinton F. Earl (decedent) died testate; and

**WHEREAS**, in his Will, the decedent directed that 25% of the residue of his estate be used for purchasing property for park purposes, preferably woodland on Mount Penn or Neversink Mountain; and

**WHEREAS**, the court appointed a certain trustee over said portion of the residue; and

**WHEREAS**, the trust has existed until the present and the current trustee, Wachovia Bank, N.A., petitioned the court to dissolve said trust; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Reading objected to the dissolution petition; and

**WHEREAS**, a proposed amicable resolution to the distribution of trust assets exists (Exhibit "A" attached); and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Reading agrees to the proposed distribution.

**NOW, THEREFORE THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF READING  
HEREBY ORDAINS AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1.** The Mayor is authorized to execute the "Consent and Joinder" to effect the City of Reading's joinder in the Amended Petition to Terminate the Clinton F. Earl Trust as well as to consent to the relief stated therein.

**SECTION 2.** This Ordinance shall be effective ten (10) days after passage and approval by the Mayor, or as provided in the City of Reading's Charter.

Enacted \_\_\_\_\_, 2007

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President of Council

Attest:

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City Clerk

**THIS ORDINANCE WAS WITHDRAWN**

I, LINDA A. KELLEHER, City Clerk of the City of Reading, Pa., do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Ordinance ~~passed~~ by the Council of the City of Reading, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, A. D. 2007. Witness my hand and seal of the said City this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June, A. D. 2007.

*[Signature]*  
CITY CLERK